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Via Email: 75369-97529597@requests.muckrock.com

MuckRock News DEPT MR 75369 Attn: Jimmy Tobias 411A Highland Ave Somerville, MA 02144-2516

Dear Mr. Tobias,

On June 14, 2019, the U.S. Department of the Interior, Office of the Solicitor, received your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request. In your request, you specifically ask for:

"Any and all written or electronic communications, including email attachments and meeting notes or schedules, between Karen Budd-Falen and any agent, representative, board member, employee or official with the Wyoming Natural Resource Foundation, an organization for which Budd-Falen was formerly a member of the board of directors. This request seeks records produced since Ms. Budd-Falen joined the Interior Department."

Your request has been assigned FOIA Tracking #SOL-2019-00207. Please cite this number in future communications with the Office of the Solicitor concerning your request. We have classified you as a "News Media" requester. As such, we may charge you for some of our duplication costs, but we will not charge you for our search or review costs. You also are entitled to up to 100 pages of photocopies (or an equivalent volume) for free. If, after taking into consideration your fee category entitlements, our processing costs are less than \$50.00, we will not bill you because the cost of collection would be greater than the fee collected.

Given the subject of your request, we are searching within the Office of the Solicitor.

Sincerely,

Lance Purvis

Office of the Solicitor, FOIA Officer